

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A peptide which comprises ~~any one of~~ the amino acid ~~sequences selected from a group consisting~~ sequence of:

Arg Tyr Phe Pro Asn Ala Pro Tyr Leu (SEQ ID NO: 2),

~~Arg Tyr Pro Gly Val Ala Pro Thr Leu (SEQ ID NO: 3),~~

~~Arg Tyr Pro Ser Cys Gln Lys Lys Phe (SEQ ID NO: 4),~~

~~Ala Tyr Leu Pro Ala Val Pro Ser Leu, (SEQ ID NO: 5), and~~

~~Asn Tyr Met Asn Leu Gly Ala Thr Leu. (SEQ ID NO: 6).~~

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The peptide according to claim 1, which consists of ~~any one of~~ the amino acid sequence ~~sequences selected from a group consisting of~~ SEQ ID NOs: SEQ ID NO: 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

Claims 3-17 (Canceled).

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): A pharmaceutical composition which comprises the peptide according to claim 1 or claim 2 ~~claim 3~~, together with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claims 19-36 (Canceled).

Claim 37 (New): An isolated peptide of SEQ ID NO: 2.